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For...

Fall and Winter Clothing

don't fail to see our line. All the
LATEST NOVELTIES in foreign
and domestic manufacture. PER-
FECT FIT and satisfaction guaran-
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Successor to W. J. Dickie
Palmer House 425 Broadway

TOOL FACTORY

In a Short Time the New In-
dustry Will Be Running.

Messrs. Stevens and Hubar

Arrive From Chicago

Start It.

Messrs. Stevens & Hubar, of Geneva,
O., arrived this morning, and will at
once begin the work of remodeling
the old Farley stove factory, in Me-
chanicsburg, which has been leased
by the Geneva Tool Works.

The work will progress rapidly, and
in a short time the new industry will
be running. In time 150 men will be
employed, and handles will be made
from ash timber in great numbers.
The factory is a splendid acquisition
to Paducah's manufacturing in-
terests, and was secured through the
Commercial club, which has done and
continues to do splendid work since
it was organized here.

ALWAYS AHEAD AT NOAH'S ARK.

The ladies of Paducah have fallen
in love with the fine display of goods
and the Noah's Ark store, as it is
called, a long felt want—where the
ladies can trace and receive kind and
courteous treatment and know they
can get goods at right prices, and
know this store does not have any
schemes or tricks to cheat the people,
as others have done. Under the new
management, this store daily grows
in popularity, and all this week, to
show our appreciation, we will make
special prices on all lines, and below
you will see a few of the many bar-
gains we will have for all this week:

10-inch glass bowls, only 8c.
8-inch cake stands, 9c.
Engraved butter and cover, 10c.
Imitation cut glass pickle dish, 9c.
Engraved sugar and cover, 10c.
Fine Japanese china oyster bowls,
9c. Others call them bargains.

Bohemian glass vases, gold traced
at 10c. Others ask 25c.
Imported china plates, handsome
decoration, 9c.
Decorated cups and saucers, per
set, only 50c.

Nice tumblers, at only 10c set—
this week.
Finely decorated 100 piece dinner
set, and only \$9.25.
Best tubular lanterns, this week
39c.

One-half pound castle soap, only
5c.
Nice toilet soap, 4 cakes for 5c.
6-quart tin buckets, covered 10c.
4-quart coffee pots, only 10c.
Good dippers, 4c.

Large dish pans, only 10c.
Pint cups, 3 for 5c.
Wash basins, 10c. Others call
them bargains.

Galvanized tubs, 45, 55, 66c. each.
Large wood bowls, 8c.
Engraved blown tumblers, only 3c.
These are only a few of the many
bargains you can get all this week.

THE NOAH'S ARK.

ALL GOODS DELIVERED FREE
OF CHARGE PROMPTLY.

Mr. Noah Gilbert, of Murray, is a
guest of Attorney J. M. Gilbert.

Ahead of the Line FOR Ninety-Nine!

Big Drives in
REAL OSTRICH TIPS.
Matchless Bargains
IN GOLF HATS.
Choice Styles

IN TRIMMED HATS,

—AT—

Cash Prices!

lower than any and all competitors.

We want to do business with you,
and shall make it to your interest to
give us your patronage, which will be
appreciated by

Yours respectfully,

MRS. FRIEDMAN.

329 Broadway

Goods delivered free to all parts of
the city.

AUSPICIOUS

Immense Crowds Come to the
Carnival From all Points
—More Expected.

PROMISES ARE EXCELLENT

Everything In Readiness—Elks
Big Parade Comes
Off Tonight.

SOME THINGS SEEN AND HEARD

The first day of the carnival opened
with a rather threatening sky, but
early in the forenoon the fear of rain
gave way to hope, and the indications
seemed to be that there would be none.
The crowds began to arrive by every
road and boat and train, and by 9
o'clock the streets were thronged with
hundreds of visitors.

Last night the City of Gokonda
brought up a large crowd, and this
morning brought up another load of
people from all points along the Ohio,
arriving about noon.

The George Cowling brought up 400
people or more from Metropolis and
Brooklyn this morning on her first
trip, and is to make three trips in all
during the day.

The Katsawa also brought up a
large crowd this forenoon and other
boats will arrive later and bring
others.

There are many country people in
the city, also, and on all the trains
this morning over both roads, and at
this afternoon as well, the people came
by the hundreds. The hotels are all crowded,
and all the boarding houses and
residents are doing a good business.
Most of the people are here to remain
both days, tomorrow being the big
day.

FIRST TRAIN ARRIVES.

The train from St. Louis this morn-
ing was delayed slightly, but got in
shortly after 8 o'clock with about
100 people from various towns in
Illinois. In addition to the visitors,
the Murphysboro band came in, and
most of the crowd went to the Pal-
mer. It was said that many more
people would arrive later in the day.

THE DECORATIONS.

The decorations this morning when
daylight revealed them, proved to be
about the finest and most artistic
ever seen here. Nearly every busi-
ness house down town had some de-
corations, and many of them were
gorgeously beautified by flags and
bunting.

A feature of the decorations are
the many display windows, nearly
every merchant having taken great
pains to make the most attractive
display possible in his window. The
displays have been greatly admired,
and will doubtless make an excellent
impression on the visitors.

SCHOOLS CLOSED.

There was a rather light attend-
ance in most of the schools this morn-
ing, and in accordance with instruc-
tions from the board, the schools
were all dismissed at noon until Mon-
day morning.

NO RAIN.

The carnival committee this morning
received a dispatch from its official
weather bureau saying that there
would be no rain and the committee
appointed special officers to seize and
confine every man who dared to carry
an umbrella. The committee was the
busiest thing that ever happened this
morning, and had its hands full.

MANY ATTRACTIONS.

In addition to the many pretty girls
in the city from many towns and cities,
here are a great many shows that will
well repay one for the small amount
of money it costs to visit them. Lower
Broadway begins to look like Midway
Plaisance, and attracts a large crowd
both day and night. The police have
seen to it that nothing of an immoral
character is allowed.

ARRIVAL OF THE KING.

The arrival of King Eshpur 1 is
scheduled for 4 o'clock this afternoon.
He and his retinue will be landed from
the Brock Hill at the foot of Broad-
way, and will be escorted by Co. K,
the city officials and others up
Broadway. The keys of the city will
be delivered by Mayor Lang.

CARNIVAL BALL.

The carnival ball tonight at the
Palmer house should be one of the
most enjoyable features of the car-
nival. It will be a swell affair, and
many invitations have been issued to
it. It will be the carnival ball, and
tomorrow night the Mystic Circle ball
will take place.

COMPANY K TURNING OUT.

The members of Co. K are turning
out today to drill and act as guard
of honor to the king this afternoon.
It is thought that most of them will
appear in uniform at the proper time.

ARRIVAL OF CAIRO OFFICIALS.

The Richardson with the crowd
from Cairo arrived this afternoon and
Mayor Lang and the council commu-
nity met them at the wharf with a band
and carriages, and led them up into
the city. The crowd from Cairo is a
large one and contains many of the
best people of that place. The visi-
ters who are here guests of the mayor
and council will be shown every cour-
tesy and consideration.

MARSHAL COLLINS' TELEGRAM.
Marshal James Collins this morning
received the following dispatch:

CAIRO, Ill., Oct. 26.—Jas. Collins,
Chief Police: Look after Cairo offi-
cials. Don't let suckers work them or
the boys tie them to their coat-
tails. Don't let them go near the
water; they are not used to it, and
keep them away from Sam Hughes and
Pink Whiskers. Watch Krebs.
P. MAHONEY, Chief Police.

STOPPED THE WHEELS.

Marshal Collins made a tour of the
business part of the city this morn-
ing and found a wheel of fortune on
Broadway at Third, near the First
National bank. He told the man
who was running it to get away
quick, and the man got leaving
his stand.

Two other gambling devices near
the Market place were also ordered
to vanish, and their owners did it.

MANY HEAR THE CONCERTS.

Both the Murphysboro, and Cairo,
Ill., bands made their appearance
about 10 o'clock and gave enjoyable
concerts on Broadway and in the
band stands attracting many peo-
ple. Both are good bands. The Pa-
ducah band gave its concert on Court
street near Second. The boys are
making many friends and will soon
rank among the best bands in the
state.

A CHANGE IN THE PARADE.

Merchants who desire to have
flats in the merchants' parade and
have not yet so reported are requested
to report either to Mr. J. W. Fisher
or Captain Kraus at the city hall by
7 o'clock tonight, so as to enable
them to complete the form of march.

A change has been made in the line
of march of this parade, caused by the
bad condition of South Third street,
and instead of parading out that
street to Tennessee, the line of march
will be on Fourth to Tennessee street,
thence out to Seventh. This is the
only change made.

VISITORS BEGIN TO COME.

Last night the streets were thronged
with visitors. A large crowd came
up from Cairo, and hundreds of peo-
ple from that place are expected today
and this evening.

BUSINESS HOUSES CLOSED.

At noon today nearly all the busi-
ness houses and banks closed. Every-
body was out for a holiday, and the
crowd was gradually increasing. The
expectations are for the largest crowd
that ever assembled in Paducah.

Tomorrow the post office will close
at 12 o'clock, and the people should
take notice of the same and transact
business before that hour.

THE BOAT RACE.

There were fully ten thousand peo-
ple on the levee this afternoon at 2
o'clock to witness the boat race.
There were only two entries, the
Winch and the Bowline. The
former won, the race being from Is-
land Creek to the wharf. The home
stew was very exciting.

THE ELKS PARADE.

The Elks parade will begin at 7
o'clock, and will form on Washington
street, east of Third.

Grand marshals—Wm. Kraus, J. H.
Wilcox, J. W. Fisher.
Murphysboro band.

First Division—John McNulty, mar-
shal.

Exalted ruler's float.

All other floats.

Second Division—R. G. Caldwell,
marshal, forms on Third street, north
of Washington, right resting on Wash-
ington street.

Paducah band.

All Elks on foot.

Cake walkers.

Third Division—Gus Rogers, mar-
shal, forms on Third street, south
of Washington, right resting on Wash-
ington street.

All mounted Elks.

Fourth Division—John Theobald,
marshal, forms on Fourth street, north
of Washington.

Ice water band.

Flambeau club.

Fifth Division—Forms on Fourth
street, south of Washington.

Cairo band.

Miscellaneous and novelties.

LINE OF MARCH.

Out Washington to Seventh, down
Seventh to Jefferson, out Jefferson to
Tenth, south Ninth to Broadway,
up Broadway to First, up First to
Court, where they will disband.

The little girls to occupy positions
on the exalted ruler's float will please
be at Glauber's stable at 7 o'clock.

After the fireworks the flambeau
band will give an exhibition up Broad-
way.

NINE O'CLOCK.

Curtain Rings Up at Morrison's
Opera House.

The big southern play, "South Be-
fore the War," will be the attraction
at the opera house tonight. The
curtain will not ring up until 9 o'clock.

LEFT ARM BROKEN.

Painful Misfortune to Jack Bolan
Last Night.

Jack Bolan, the well known pugilist,
is disabled by a broken arm. It was
broken last night at the Paducah
Athletic club's headquarters during
his bout with Doc Irish.

After several preliminaries Bolan
and Irish struggled and entered the
ring. John Bury was referee.

Bolan seemed to have the advan-

age of his opponent in height and
reach, and it was the general opinion
would win the fight. But before the
first round was over he made a power-
ful left during which Irish ducked.
Bolan's left arm came around and
twisted against the back of Irish's
head, breaking with a crack that
could be heard throughout the crowd.

Dr. Rivers and Stewart pronounced
the injury a crack, and the fight was
given to Irish by the referee.

One of the large bones in the fore-
arm of the popular fighter was found
upon examination to be broken, and
it will disable him and prevent his
fighting for a month, if not longer.
The blow which broke the arm was
a powerful one, and had it struck
Irish with full force, would have
doubtless put him out in short order.

TONIGHT.

"South Before the War" at Mor-
rison's Opera House.

Manager Terrell will present to-
night Harry Martell's grand South
before the War, a most excellent at-
traction. A large company numbering
fifty people, new scenery and other
improvements forms one of the best
shows on the stage to be seen this
season, and should without doubt
play to the capacity of the house.

SHIP WRECKED.

Destruction Complete and It Is
Feared Loss of Life Resulted.

NAMESAOS, Norway, Oct. 26.—An
unknown ship was totally wrecked
last night outside of Vigten Island,
in this coast. It is feared there has
been a serious loss of life.

MAJ. O'CONNELL HERE.

Maj. O'Connell, of Louisville, ar-
rived this afternoon to swear in
the recruits accepted by Sergeant
Blight. There are only five thus
far. Seven were rejected, and four
of the colored men accepted had to be
rejected on the orders from Maj. Con-
nell, as all the colored regiments
are filled.

IRVING COMES BACK.

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—Sir Henry
Irving, with Miss Terry and rest of
his famous company, arrived from
London this morning.

The year 1900 is the time for taking
the next census, and in cities of over
8,000 population the work must be
done during the first two weeks in
June in other parts of each district
the whole of June is allowed. There
will be from twenty to thirty ques-
tions to be answered by each person.
In the country districts the farmers
will be questioned about the crops,
stock, etc. The answer to each ques-
tion must be written by the census
taker in ink, and all who refuse to
answer are liable to a penalty.

The most stubborn cases of Bron-
chitis succumb to COUSSEY'S HONEY
OF TAR. Price 25 and 50 cts. Sold
by Druggists & Co.

For the Great CARNIVAL

The visitors to the greatest days in the history of Paducah are cordially
invited to inspect our entire new stock, every department of which is filled
with the choicest of dry goods, furnishing goods and ladies' ready-made
goods of every description. We call especial attention to the prices made
for the CARNIVAL SALE!

8c Yard For double width PLAID DRESS GOODS, in a variety of pat-
terns, worth 20c.

15c Yard For all-wool double width HOMESPUN, a very large assortment
of colors to select from, worth 30c.

65c Yard For 54-inch all-wool LADIES' CLOTH—the usual price of this
goods is \$1.50.

58c Yard For 44-inch silk and wool BLACK CREPON of very fine and
heavy quality, worth \$1.00.

50c For a pair of soft, fleecy, white BED BLANKETS with cro-
chet edge worth 75c.

75c For a pair of heavy white BED BLANKETS, with fancy borders
and crocheted edge, worth \$1.25.

\$2.00 For a pair of 10-4 all-wool white BED BLANKETS, with striped
border in pink and blue, silk ribbon edge, worth \$3.50.

75c For a pair of 3 yards long, extra wide, good quality LACE CUR-
TAINS; better ones for 80c.

\$1.75 For a pair of extra fine 3-1-2 yards long LACE CURTAINS.
This goods is of latest patterns, and worth elsewhere \$2.50.

98c For a pair of ladies' colored or black KID GLOVES—every pair
guaranteed.

Ladies' Ready-Made Garments!

Ladies' tailor made CLOTH SUITS, made in latest style, silk lined and
habit shape skirt, for \$7.75, 9.00 and 12.00 a suit.
Ladies' shirt waists of the famous STANLEY brand, in satin, brilliant
lace, mercerized satin, flannel and other cloth; also full lines of finest silk
and satin waists from 75c up.

Ladies' Capes, Cloaks and Jackets.—In this department we have a super-
rior stock, our prices on some styles ranging from 75c upwards.

DRYFUSS & BRO.

308 Broadway

MAFEKING

Was Being Effectively Bombard-
ed at Last Reports By
the Boers.

FIRES INDICATE DESTRUCTION

Though Coming Via London the
Telegraphic Accounts are
Damaging to Britons.

REPORTS FROM SOUTH AFRICA

LONDON, Oct. 26.—General White
reports that General Yule arrived
at Ladysmith early today with his
men completely fagged out, and
badly in need of rest. According
to White's report Yule had no en-
gagement with the Boers during his
retreat.

LADYSMITH, Oct. 26.—A message
has been received here saying that
Mafeking, which is being shelled by
the Boers, is on fire in several places
though the flames are believed to
be under control.

LORENZO, Marquet, Oct. 26.—A
special message from Pretoria says
Gen. Cronje began the bombardment
of Mafeking on the morning of the
24th, after notifying the women
and children to leave town. The
message also says the officers of the
Eighteenth Hussars captured after
the battle of Glencoe Friday have
arrived at Pretoria and are quar-
tered in the grand stand of the race
course, which has become a military
prison. The Boers acknowledge
they lost a hundred killed and three
hundred prisoners in the battle of
Blanslaagte.

LONDON, Oct. 26.—It is rumored
again that Gen. Symons is dead.
The war office refuses to affirm or
deny rumor.

LONDON, Oct. 26.—Under-Secretary
of War Wyndham announced in the
house of commons today that General
Symons, wounded at Glencoe, had died
from his injuries.

LONDON, Oct. 26.—A Ladysmith
dispatch says strong British re-
ports have arrived there from
Pretoria.

LONDON, Oct. 26.—Gen. Yule, it
is now known, left Glencoe to avoid
outnumbering army of Boers. He
slipped away from enemies.

PUBLIC SPEAKINGS.

Rev. S. E. Smith and Prof. J. E. Wood
spoke here Nov. 1, at 7:30 p. m.

TO CURE A GOLD IN ONE DAY
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets.
All druggists refund the money if it
fails to cure. E. W. Grove's sign-
ure is on each box. 25c.

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ELKS' TIES JUST ARRIVED, 50 CENTS.

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Handsome
New
Line of
Children's
Novelty
Suits



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Received
Some
Swell
Ideas in
Men's
Fine
Suits

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Fashionable clothing made at most moder-
ate prices. Good fits, splendid material and
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Call and see us. Don't buy interior gar-
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Rush, Havana La Afamada,
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FLEETCHER TERRELL, Manager

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Realistic Southern Production

The South Before

the War

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Call and see his line of
**Tubs, Stands, Gas Fix-
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of all kinds. Don't fail to see his col-
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Both are necessities, and there-
fore essential that you
get the BEST.
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Offers to the people of
Paducah a select stock
of Staple and Fancy
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At figures as cheap as any dealer
in pure goods. He also con-
ducts a
MEAT MARKET
Handling all the best cuts
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of vegetable laxatives, aromatics, carmin-
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habitual constipation and the many ill-
resulting conditions. It is a most effective
and most excellent remedy for Biliousness, Sick
Headache, and all deranged conditions of
the bowels. It is a most effective and most
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ARTHUR PECK, Master.
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Tri-weekly packet. Leaves Pa-
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Saturday at 12:30. Leaves Eliza-
bethtown every Monday, Wednes-
day and Friday 8 a. m., and Gol-
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Permanently Cured
Incurably Proven by
**DR. KLINE'S GREAT
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This is the only medicine that can
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Observations
....at Random.
"I have lost faith in a doctor," re-
marked a well known gentleman yes-
terday as he asked his friend for a
pipe of tobacco and moved his chair
a little nearer the window.
"Why is that?" the latter inquired.
"Well," explained the former,
"I met a friend this morning and he
called me in and said he had 'shin-
gles.' If you don't know what shin-
gles consists of, you needn't ever want
to. It is a breaking out, and it is about
the most unpleasant thing imaginable.
He explained about a bit and then
said he understood I once had them,
and I told him I did everything for
them. He then wanted to know
how I got rid of them, and I replied
that I never had."
"He then went on to tell me that
he had gone to the family physician
and he told him there was only one
thing that would do them any good,
if that would, and that was to take
the blood from a black cat's tail and
let it drip on the afflicted parts."
"When he finished I had lost faith
in the doctor for being so superstitious.
I did not think that any doc-
tor would prescribe the blood of a
black cat for anything, or claim that
there was any difference in the blood
of a black cat and that of a white
cat. Besides, neither one is any
good when it comes to 'shingles.'"
And he scratched reminiscently as he
puffed at his pipe.

Called Session
Council Met Last Night and Ap-
pointed Committees.
Gairo to Be Entertained—Franchise
Matter of Street Car
Company Considered.
The council met last night in called
session, Mayor Lang and Council-
men Jackson, Clark, Johnson, Elliott,
Winstead, Jones, and Smith being
present.
Mayor Lang presented a telegram
and letter in effect that the Gairo
council had accepted the invitation
of Paducah's council to attend the
carnival and would be here.
Mayor Lang said that they would
be accommodated at the Palmer
house, and he desired a committee
to be in constant attendance on
them during their stay and show
them every courtesy.
The committee appointed was
Councilmen Chas. Smith, G. R. Davis,
J. S. Jackson and S. H. Winsstead
with Robertson, Jones and Yeiser
alternates and "ad hoc" camp.
Mr. Geo. C. Wallace, of the Light,
Power and Railway company, desired
in the matter of franchise tax that
the city send Auditor Stone a writ-
ten statement of the value of the prop-
erty in order to assist the company
in securing a reduction in franchise
tax.
Upon motion it was ordered that
a request be drafted asking that
the property of the company be not
assessed at more than \$25,000, and
the writing of which was referred to
City Attorney R. T. Lightfoot.
It is now valued by the state board
at \$112,000.

Building Bought.
A "Newspaper Block" will Likely
Be Result of the Deal.
Messrs. Joseph L. Friedman and
P. M. Fisher yesterday purchased
from the Latiff brothers the build-
ing on the southeast corner of Sec-
ond and Broadway, now occupied by
W. E. Russell & Co., the consideration
being in the neighborhood of
\$4,000.
When the present lease expires in
about twelve months, it is the in-
tention of the purchasers to improve
the building by making a four story
modern edifice, and make it into
a "newspaper block." That portion
of the city greatly needs im-
provement in some places, and it is
the intention to make it one of the
most attractive in the city.

Two Die in Succession.
Pearl, aged 4, and Bryan, aged 2,
children of Mr. Jas. Reed, of the Lack
Singletree works, died last night
at the family residence, 1028 South
Third street, the first at 7:27 from
stomach trouble and the next at 7:30
from heart failure.
The remains were this morning
taken to Metropolis for burial.

Railroad Won.
The jury in the case of Mrs. Nancy
Brame against the Illinois Central
for \$199 for killing a valuable cow,
rendered a verdict in favor of the
defendant.

Mind Unbalanced.
OWENSBORO, Ky., Oct. 26.—Mayor
Small has appointed Edwin R. Settle
as special police judge to serve during
the disabilities of Judge Fred R. Rob-
erts, who is declared to be both men-
tally and physically unable to per-
form the duties of the office. Judge
Roberts' vagaries have been the talk
of the town for some time. He was
appointed by Gov. Bradley recently
to succeed Judge Pendleton. His
friends will take him to a sanatorium
for rest, and if he gets no better the
council will take some action as to
his successor. He married Miss Eliza-
beth Downey, at Frankfort, only a
few days ago. Roberts' family
have advised her to return home.

Turned Down.
Tammany Will Not Aid in Ken-
tucky Campaign.
NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—Colonel Urey
Woodson's mission to New York to
raise money for the Gobel campaign
seems to have been a failure. At least
some of the colonel's friends say that
he failed to arouse the interest of the
New York Democrats further than to
secure a few insignificant sums con-
tributed by individuals. According to
a story in tonight's Sun, Colonel Wood-
son expected assistance from Tam-
many Hall, because that organization
is now supporting Bryan and has ac-

PORTORICAN POSTAGE
It is Now the Same as in the
United States.
Instructions in regard to Writ-
ing to Soldiers in
Manila.
Postmaster F. M. Fisher is in re-
ceipt of a communication from the
postoffice department, stating that
hereafter the postage to all parts of
Porto Rico will be the same as in
the United States—two cents instead
of five, which has heretofore been
the rate. This shows that Porto
Rico is now in every way a part of
our country and government.
In Cuba the rate is still five cents,
except to soldiers, being two cents
at present for them.

FOR MURDER.
Father and Son, 40th Pre. Incident,
on Trial at Bardwell.
BARDWELL, Ky., Oct. 26.—The
cases of George and Tom Clark, father
and son, arraigned for the alleged
murder of Luther Furlong last June,
are on trial. A jury was selected from
a venire of seventy-five men from
Hickman county. The case is an in-
teresting one, and both defendants
are prominent.

HE'S INSANE.
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 26.—A.
L. King, a grippian who claims he
was a guard in the Nebraska peni-
tentiary at Lincoln seven years ago,
declares the confessions of George
Bullock, alias J. G. McBride, the
St. Louis, Minn., convict, as to being
guilty of many murders, are romances.
King declares that Bullock, while
confined at Lincoln in 1892, made
the same confessions, with the ex-
ception of the Osawatomie, Kansas,
crime, which was not committed till
three years later, and at that time
he was considered insane.

ROOMS WANTED
The hotels are now full, but
visitors must be accommodated.
All persons who can entertain
visitors during the Carnival are
urged to send their name and
address and number of people
they can accommodate at once to
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OUT OF THE MOUTHS OF BABES
"Mamma," said little Bessie, who
was just making to make figures, "can
you make thirteen?" "Certainly, my
dear," answered the mother. "Then I
wish you would show me how," contin-
ued the little student. "I can make
thirteen right, but can't get the ten."
"Now, boys," said the Sunday school
teacher, "our lesson today teaches us
that if we are good while here on earth,
when we die we will go to a place of
everlasting bliss. But suppose we are
bad, then what will become of us?"
"We'll go to a place of everlasting bliss,"
replied a small boy at the foot
of the class.
"Mamma," said Charlie, "I think
you be a preacher when I grow up."
"Very well, my son," replied the fond
mother, "but what put the idea into
your head?" "Well," replied the little
fellow, "I 'sposed I've got to go to
church all my life anyway, and it's a
heap more fun to walk around and
talk than it is to sit still."

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REAL ESTATE.
The following deeds have been
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Joseph Hyman deeded property on
Fountain avenue to James C. Scott
for the sum of \$700.
Fred B. Ashton and Nannie M. Ash-
ton to C. Ann Crawford, lot on corner
of Harrison and Fountain avenue
\$350.
W. R. Alexander to Ellen Williams,
seventy-seven acres of land in the
county, \$700.
Ellen Williams and others to J. R.
Helen, fourteen and one-half acres
of land in the county, \$140.

NOTICE TO PUBLIC.
Merchants and citizens generally
are hereby given notice that in advance
of the days of the street carnival
all boxes, barrels, vehicles or any
other obstruction to the streets or
sidewalks must be removed. This
order will be strictly enforced.
On the night of the fireworks pro-
gram will be stationed at the inter-
sections of the following streets
with First street, viz: Jefferson,
Broadway, Court and Washington,
and no vehicle public or private, will
be permitted to enter First street un-
til the entertainment is concluded
and the audience has retired from
that locality. No vehicle will be
permitted to go on the levee at or
during the same period of time, and
if there prior to the time of the be-
ginning of the entertainment will
be removed by the officers in charge.
Very respectfully,
2162 JAS. M. LANG, Mayor.

PUBLIC SPEAKINGS.
Rev. S. E. Smith and Prof. J. E. Wood
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A Bicycle Within the Sacred Precincts
of the White House.
Washington correspondence Chicago
Tribune: To an usher of the white
house belongs the distinction of being
the only person who has mastered the
silent steed with the east room of the
executive mansion as the riding acade-
my. For obvious reasons his name
is withheld from publication. Like all
learners he needed assistance in bal-
ancing and another usher was called
in to render the service. The learner
mounted the wheel in an awkward
manner, and was trundled toward the
south end of the big parlor, when his
teacher let go with the usual result
on the heavy carpet. This performance
was repeated several times, and then
the first lesson ended. The next day
a second lesson was taken with little
better result. But the usher perse-
vered, and every afternoon for a week
after the house was closed to visitors,
he took a lesson until he had fairly
good command of the unruly wheel.
Then he began to "speed." The record
he made was creditable to a be-
ginner, and the novelty of riding a
bicycle in the white house was thor-
oughly enjoyed. The usher is now one
of the best riders in the city, but
neither the president nor the chief
usher knew what caused the house to
shake as if a small earthquake had
visited the city during the week in
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LOCAL LINES.

On and after this date a charge will be made for the publication of resolutions of respect, obituary notices, cards of thanks, official notices of meetings of lodges, societies or other organizations, and all notices of church entertainments where a fee is charged or collection taken.
—There was truly music in the air today.
—It has been cloudy all day, with indications of rain, but the atmosphere here was pleasant.
—The post office will be closed tomorrow from noon to 6 o'clock by permission of the postmaster general.
—The Pride of the Purchase is truly in holiday attire today.
—The streets have been thronged today for a fact.
—No one will be allowed seating privileges on river front at the first fireworks display except those authorized by the carnival committee. Everyone holding a ticket will be guaranteed a good seat. The seats are good and safe and in good location to observe the display of fireworks which will be the grandest ever seen here.
—While in the city visit the Elcy Dry Goods Co. The largest and best lighted store in the city, 322 and 324 Broadway.
—A good way to ward off a thill is to look him out and do it well.
—If there are any pick pockets or other rogues among us today the fact is not known.
—So far the day has been without an accident. If the people exercise care there should be no cause to regret the day.
—Thousands of people saw the river front today for the first time for months and many for the first time for years. Paducah the past several years has largely moved away from the river.

NO COURT.

Matters Very Dull About the City Hall This Morning.

There was no session of the police court this morning and will be none until Saturday unless some urgent case comes up.
There was nothing at all doing about the city hall this morning, and most of the officials were enjoying themselves with the crowds.
There were three arrests last night, all made by Officers Rogers and Johnson.
Augusta Ligon and Gillie Travis were arrested for a bench of the peace and Flora Patterson for using insulting language.

WILL ASSIGN.

The Paducah Building and Loan Association Decides on This.

The stockholders of the Paducah Building and Loan association have decided to make an assignment, the assignee to be Mr. E. H. Boone. The deed of assignment will be filed in a day or two, and is now being prepared by the attorneys.
The liabilities are about \$56,600 and the assets \$56,100, leaving balance liabilities only \$500.

CIRCUS PASSES THROUGH.

The Sells Brothers and Forepaugh's circus passed through Paducah this morning en route from Hopkinsville, where it showed yesterday, to Mayfield, where it shows today. It was transported by several sections of the train the first of which passed through Paducah about 4 a. m.

Misses Maye and Fannie Higgins, of St. Louis, arrived yesterday afternoon to visit Miss May Paxton.
To All Woodmen of the World. You are hereby notified to be present at K. of H. hall promptly at 8 a. m. Friday, October 27, 1899.

Stevens Eat a Stone Chimney.
Mr. C. M. Wyson, who lives near Lincoln Court House, Va., has had a queer experience with English sparrows. At the north end of his house he had built a stone chimney. The stone was rather soft, and the English sparrows, hundreds of which are found in that vicinity, soon began an attack upon it. The birds would light on the top or sides, sometimes by hundreds, and peck away at the stone until the finally succeeded in picking it to pieces so badly that it crumbled and fell. Why they did so Mr. Wyson can explain only on the theory that the birds used the grains pecked from the rock for digestive purposes.

C. J. BRONSTON'S SPEECH. One of the Finest Speeches Ever Made Here Well Received.

State Senator Charles Bronston, of Lexington, last night spoke to one of the largest and most cultured audiences that has assembled in Morton's opera house for many days. His speech was one of the most logical, polished and forceful that has been delivered in Southwest Kentucky during the campaign, and it was heard with attention and appreciation by those present.
He paid his respects to Mr. Goebel in a way that cannot fail to further down that gentleman in the eyes of a large element of his own party. Senator Bronston gave facts and figures, and presented his case in such a clear, concise and incontrovertible manner that his hearers were disposed to accept it. He is one of the most able and able men in the greatest measure of the John Young House faction, and is a gentleman of scholarly attainments and unusual eloquence.

WANTED THE CHILD.

But Mrs. Smith Refused to Give It Up.

Mrs. Smith, wife of a motorman, took charge of the girl baby left at a rest day before yesterday, to adopt. Last evening Mr. M. Y. Kewler, of Jones street, called with a note from County Judge Tully, asking her to turn over the baby to Mr. Kewler, but Mrs. Smith declined to do it, and the gentleman, who wanted to adopt it himself, was forced to leave without it.
It is probable that Mrs. Smith will take steps immediately to formally adopt the infant, as she is very anxious to keep it.

ABOUT TERRY.

Deserted His Betrothed on the Wedding Day.

One feature of Ellis Glenn, alias T. H. Terry, captured here a few days ago, not heretofore printed, is that he disappeared on his wedding day, over three weeks ago.
He was to have married the daughter of one of his bondsmen at Hillsboro, and on the day when he was to have led her to the altar, he disappeared, and his intended father-in-law searched high and low for him, in St. Louis and other places, but without success.
Glenn was formerly a sewing machine agent at Hillsboro, and will doubtless have much to answer for when he returns to Illinois.

NEW DEPOT.

The Plans Have Been Changed Somewhat.

Contractor F. W. Katterjohn has returned from Chicago, where he went to confer with the Illinois Central officials relative to the new Union depot here. The original plans have been changed, making the depot larger, and for this reason have not yet arrived, although they are expected today. Work will begin in earnest when the plans arrive, and it will be pushed by Contractor Katterjohn. The new depot will be of pressed brick.

AMERICAN KING.

David O'Keefe, Who Is the Sovereign of Yap Island.

The recent story of the power and wealth of David B. O'Keefe, the white king of the islands of Yap, Oia and St. David, is corroborated by advices from Hongkong, per steamer Tacoma. O'Keefe is a naturalized Irish-American, 68 years old, and is known at Hongkong as the "Cobra King." His islands are a detached portion of the Carolines. When he settled at Yap he married a native princess, who is a shrewd woman, and who rules when he is away. The islands over which he rules are by his right of discovery, and the acquisition of the native rulers. He has held them against the rival claims of Spain and Holland. Over the islands he floats the Stars and Stripes, and on his single trading schooner he flies the Union Jack. The islands are distant about five days by steam from Manila. The principal island of the group is called Yap. It is larger than Hongkong island, and is surrounded by minor islands, among which figure Terang, Obi, Pekel and Dunji. These four islands, situated in Yap harbor, are the alleged property of the Cobra King. His residence is on the first named (commonly known among the other traders as the "Hell of the Carolines"). It is here his native wife rules supreme during his absence, showing her shrewdness, as also her proverbial animosity for all the other European traders or employees of the South Sea trader. It is on the island of Terang that he keeps the mass of his bartering stores, as also the copra (coconut) from which the oil is to be extracted, which he takes to Hongkong in his schooner Santa Cruz. The island of Dunji was until recently in the hands of a German firm doing a good business in the copra trade. It passed over to his majesty's group some two years ago when Herman Grosser, one of the heads of the home office referred to, went to Yap to settle the necessary transfer papers. The other two islands are unimportant. The island of St. David is not in this group, but in the Pelew islands, north to the south. It is to this island that Holland lays claim. The cobra king has been among these islands for 20 years. Both he and the native traders desire that the islands shall be taken possession of by the United States or England.

How They Managed It.

"And so you have finally succeeded in getting your husband to take the gold cure? I thought he always claimed that he could quit drinking whenever he wanted to." "Yes, he did. We have just convinced him that he ought to take something to make him want to."—Chicago Times-Herald.

A new coffee resembling exactly a

finer duster has been sprung by some summer girls who love to create a sensation.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

M. Frank Woodbridge, a clerk at R. L. Sandy's, is sick at Mr. Sandy's residence on South Ninth.

M. J. I. Ogg, formerly with the I. C. beer, but now with them at Du rant No. 10 here on his way to the latter place from a visit to his old home in Virginia.

Mrs. Jamie Lyle, of Clarksville, Tenn., is visiting her father, Captain Thomas Herndon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Herndon have returned from Clarksville.

Mr. S. W. Cooley, wife and daughter, Miss Minerva, of Clay Switch, are here to attend the carnival.

Miss Georgia Scott, of Dyersburg, is a guest of Miss Alice Cumbernough.

Mrs. J. M. Glass and son, Tom, of Sha on, Tenn., are visiting Mrs. T. N. Underwood, of South Third.

Miss Myrtle Landin, of Mayfield, is a guest of Miss Maud Anderson.

Miss John D. Elliott, of Owensboro, is a guest of Mrs. W. F. Bradshaw.

Misses Irma and Beulah Dunas, charming young ladies of Paris, Tenn., are guests of Miss Ora Leigh.

Mr. Harry Dalton and wife, of Fulton, are here attending the carnival.

Mr. Chas. Williamson and family, of Fulton, are here attending the carnival.

Mrs. Richard Morgan, of Memphis, is a guest of Mrs. T. C. Leech, at the Palmer.

Mr. W. H. Robb and wife have returned from Louisville.

Mrs. Jas. L. Moss and Miss Annie Beeler, of Clinton, arrived yesterday to attend the carnival.

Mr. W. M. Rawls, of Evansville, is here to attend the carnival.

Miss Christie Bartollett, of Mayfield, is expected today to visit Miss Ella Wright.

Miss Edna Spears, of Chicago, a most charming young lady who has before visited the city, arrived this afternoon and is the guest of Miss Mary K. Sowell.

Miss Nannie McCampbell, of Paris, Tenn., one of the charming maids of honor to the Carnival queen, is in the city and a guest of Miss Mary K. Sowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund P. Noble have issued invitations to a reception and dance at their residence, 2031 Jefferson street, extended for Wednesday, November 1, 8:30 o'clock p. m. The function will be the debut party of their charming daughter, Miss Marie, and will be elegant in the extreme.

Mr. Z. T. Conner and family of Murray, are guests of Mr. J. M. Gilbert.

Miss Josie Alvey, a pretty young lady of Cecilia, is a guest of her sister, Mrs. James Glauber.

Miss Mary Wayne Murphy, of Fulton, a maid of honor to the Carnival queen, is the guest of Mrs. H. C. Overbey.

Miss Mary Rathbun, of Princeton, and Nora Anderson, of Owensboro, arrived this afternoon to visit Miss Elizabeth Sinnott.

Miss Cooley, of Dyersburg, and Miss McCoy, of Golconda, maids of honor to the Carnival queen are at the Palmer.

Mrs. Oscar Gregory entertained the Married Ladies Euchre club last evening very pleasantly. Miss Inez Whitfield captured the lady's prize, a dainty toilet bottle and Mr. Charles Spillman won the gentlemen's prize, a handsome tobacco box.

Miss Victoria Cameron, of Marion, is visiting Miss Garnet Richardson.

Mr. John W. Bebout, of Marion, is here on a visit to L. L. Bebout.

Miss Mary Walker, of Dyersburg, is here on a visit to her brother, Dr. Richard Walker.

Miss Bettie McBride arrived this afternoon from Fulton.

Misses Katherine and Sarah Irwin, of Kuttawa, are in the city.

Mr. Church Blanton, of Arkansas, is in the city. He is on his way home from a visit to his child at Grand Rivers.

Messdames E. H. James, Lucy Cox, W. S. Dyeus, Frank Machen, O. C. Lett and others, from Edgelyville, came down this morning to attend the carnival.

Mr. W. R. Harris, C. C. Grassham, Misses Jennie Bush, Annie Dodge and Pearl Robinson, of Smithland, are in the city today attending the carnival.

Miss Rosa Hebsacker, a pretty and talented young lady of Cairo, is a guest of Mrs. Ed O. Yancey, of North Fifth street. She is making many admirers in Paducah.

Morris Rothchild, of Louisville, is here attending the carnival.

Mr. Luther Graham, of the county, is in the city today.

Mr. B. B. Linn, who has been ill for some time past at his home on North Fifth street, is able to be out.

Mr. John W. Baker was able to sit on the porch this morning, and it is thought will be able to be out in a few days.

Miss Inez Whitfield, of Clarksville, is in the city attending the carnival.

Captain W. J. Stone and wife, of Kuttawa, are in the city, guests at the Palmer.

Mr. Howard B. Phillips, of Cairo, is in the city to attend the carnival, and is a guest of his father, Captain Phillips.

The Misses Eagan, of Cairo, arrived this afternoon on a visit to Captain Phillips and family.

Mr. Albert Wolf, of St. Louis, is here on a visit to his brother, Mr. J. L. Wolf, the jeweler.

Mr. V. A. McCutchen is improving on his recent illness.

Mrs. Chas. W. Tottloft and Mrs. M. B. Hutchinson, of Brooklyn, Ill., are visiting Mrs. Chas. W. Rodfus on South Third street.

Miss Hattie Wilson is on the sick list.

Miss Inez Whitfield, of Clarksville, is visiting Mrs. R. B. Phillips.

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CAN'T AGREE

Sewerage Committee and Contractors Still Lock Horns

The \$3,200 Claimed By the City Seems to Have Caused a Little Trouble.

There was another meeting of the sub-contractors of the sewerage, Messrs. Wilcox and Halloran, their attorney, and the sewerage committee of the city council and City Attorney Lightfoot, yesterday afternoon at the city hall. A meeting was held the afternoon before, and the crowd made a tour of the sewerage system and examined the work with a view to passing on its reception.

The committee and contractors have been unable to reach any agreement, however, and the indications are that they will continue to be unable to reach any. The thing that seems to be causing all the trouble is the \$3,200 the city claims the contractors owe it for work done on the streets torn up by the contractors.

On one side it is claimed that the condition of the streets was not due in every instance to the sewerage work, and that the contractors were not notified that the city contemplated doing the repairing itself, and that the city engineer did not recommend it.

On the other hand the city had trouble for months keeping the streets passable, and allege that most of their notices were ignored by the contractors and those doing the work. They finally appointed arbitrators, Messrs. T. P. Carter and John O'Brien being the gentlemen appointed, and they went over the streets to be repaired and appraised the work to be done on them. The city then went to work and made the repairs, and the result is a claim of \$3,200 against the contractors which the city claims the contractors owe for work they ought to have done themselves.

The contractors decline to accept the account, and the sewerage committee, it begins to look like, will not accept the sewerage until it is allowed by the contractors.

In event the latter is decided on the contractors will secure a mandamus and force the council to receive the sewerage, as the \$3,200 is an outside matter, and they cannot refuse to receive the sewerage on such pretext as the refusal to pay an outside claim.

The general opinion, even among members of the council, is that the city has got the worst of the bargain as a result of rushing to work on the streets and trusting to luck or Providence to get their money back.

\$3,200 they will first have to show. If they make the contractors pay the that the work done was necessary as a result of the negligence or breach of contract of the contractors, that the work is worth the amount claimed, and several other things that will greatly delay matters, in case they are taken into court for adjustment.

THE RIVER NEWS.

Observation taken at 7 a. m. River 0.8 feet on the gauge, no change in the last 24 hours. Wind southwest, light breeze. Weather cloudy and warm. Temperature 64. Fall, Observer.

The automatic dam, or so-called "bear trap," which was so successfully tripped in the old canal Sunday, is made of steel, and was built by Heger wait & Co., of New Albany, after plans furnished by the United States Engineering department at Louisville.

The statement that this dam has been a failure is not correct, says the Louisville Commercial, and comes from the failure of an old wooden coffer dam that was tried several years ago and failed. The construction of this dam, masonry, machinery and all other parts is new and perfect. It is the same thing as a splendid gift from Uncle Sam to the city of Louisville.

Lower Broadway near the gates of the city and full river view front, presented the appearance today of an old time county fair with its side shows, candy joints and "fakir" dives.

The Fannie Wallace arranged five bags out in front of the wharf this morning which will be used tonight for the fireworks display and other attractions. Seating capacity for 7,000 people on the wharf has been made, and every provision arranged for the comfort and pleasure of visitors.

The J. B. Richardson arrived at 2 p. m. from Cairo today full of people. The City of Golconda came in from Golconda and way points last night full of carnival visitors, left at 10 p. m. and arrived again today at noon blocked off with people.

The George Cowling with over 300 people from Metropolis arrived at 9 a. m. she also brought up a large crowd this afternoon.

The steamer Tennessee is expected this afternoon from Tennessee river. She has some fifty or sixty people on board who will attend the carnival.

We will give full particulars of the boat launch which came off this morning. An account of it will appear in our river column tomorrow.

The Kuttawa from Cumberland river arrived today with a good many people from Cumberland river points.

Miss Mayne Elliott, of Mayfield, the guest of Miss Aline Bagby.

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Men's heavy ribbed shirts and drawers, were 59c, at 32c

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In this department we are away ahead everybody. Note the prices below:
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PROCLAMATION.
By virtue of the office of the chief executive of this municipality it is hereby proclaimed that the 26th and 27th days of the current month have been selected as days upon which to hold the Street Carnival. In deference to this occasion, the right of way over the streets which has been, or may be selected by the management shall not be obstructed by private or public vehicles of any kind whatever, nor by street cars while the parade is forming or while the line of march is moving on any street. No firing of explosives, fire works or fire crackers, will be permitted except the fire works program, prepared by and under the management of carnival committee.

The police are hereby commanded to enforce this order to the letter. Manufacturers, steamboatmen, railroads and others who have steam whistles are respectfully requested to greet the "King" by sounding same on his arrival at 4 p. m., the 26th instant.
JAS. M. LANG, Mayor.
2303

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To the Public.
Owing to